

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

YESTERDAY.
Founder's Day celebrated at Sheltering Arms Free Hospital at Woman's Club.
Commonwealth Chapter, D. A. R., in the home of Mrs. M. A. Chambers.
Marriage of Miss Dorothy Bankhead Lee to Mr. Joseph Linwood Antrim in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. P. Cardwell, at Hanover, Va.
TO-DAY.
Called meeting of librarians of the Church Periodical Society, in apartments of Miss Freedy, at the Chesterfield, 12 1/2 P. M.
Tea served at Rosemary Library from 5 to 7 P. M.
Entertainment at 8:30 P. M. in No. 605, Floyd Avenue, for the benefit of Pine Street Baptist Church Sewing Circle.
West End Mothers' Club at 8 P. M. in kindergarten room, Lombardy and Main Streets.

Antrim—Lee.
The most interesting social event of yesterday was the wedding of Miss Dorothy Bankhead Lee, of Stafford county and Richmond, to Mr. Joseph Linwood Antrim, of this city, celebrated at 1 P. M. in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. P. Cardwell, of "Signal Hill," Hanover, Va.
The bride is the daughter of Major and Mrs. John Antrim Lee, of Stafford county, the great-granddaughter of famous Light Horse Harry Lee, of the Revolution, and the niece of the late General Fitzhugh Lee, C. S. A. and U. S. A. Mr. Antrim is a social favorite in Richmond, a most highly-esteemed gentleman and a successful man of affairs.
"Signal Hill," Mrs. Cardwell's beautiful country home, was gorgeously decorated with palms and garlands of Southern smilax, roses, sweet peas and carnations. The mantels were banked with maiden-hair-ferns and lighted with shaded pink candles, which, with pink-shaded lamps, furnished a softly glowing illumination. The wedding march was played by Mrs. John Moncure, of Richmond.
After a charming old Virginia custom, the bride, with her maid of honor, Miss Nannie Mason Lee, came down the board staircase, garlanded in smilax and roses, and the hall to the altar erected in front of a bow window in the drawing-room, banked with green and glistening with white wax tapers. The groom, in his best suit, came down the same stairs, followed by his best man, Mr. John Moncure, of Richmond, and the bride and the maid of honor at the altar. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Landon R. Mason, of Grace Episcopal Church, and the Rev. John Moncure, both of this city.
The bride was exquisitely gowned in white cloth over tulle, trimmed with tulle and Irish point lace; she wore a tall veil and pearl and diamond ornaments. Her flowers were lilies-of-the-valley.
The maid of honor was charming in pink crepe de chine over silk trimmed with Cluny lace. She carried pink sweet peas.
Mrs. C. P. Cardwell, at the reception immediately following the ceremony, welcomed her guests in white crepe de chine, garnished with old lace and chiffon roses. She held a coronation bouquet of white sweet peas.
The display of wedding gifts, as to number and value, was imposing. The gift of rings was made by a distinguished society people of Richmond and other cities. A special train conveyed the large party that went from this city, leaving here at 1 P. M.
Mr. and Mrs. Antrim left for New York at 8:30 o'clock last evening. They will sail, February 23d, to spend two months in European travel.
Among those who attended from a distance were: Miss Mary Moncure and Mrs. Edward Rees, of Washington, D. C.; Captain and Mrs. Gerow, of Lynchburg, Va.; Mrs. Philip Winston, of Mine Run, Va.; Mrs. Mary Lee, of Fredericksburg, Va.; Miss Elizabeth McMillen, of Elliptical City, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Granville Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hely, Dr. and Mrs. George Ben Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Light, Miss Mary Johnston, Miss Eloise Johnston, Miss Anna Mason Lee, Miss Lucy Coleman, Miss Elizabeth Johnston, Misses Quarles, Misses Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Rose, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Moncure, Mr. and Mrs. Egle, Mr. Leigh, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Palmer, Miss Alice Palmer, Miss Palmer, Mrs. Ethel Clark, Misses Weddell, Mr. and Mrs. James Moncure, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Moncure, Misses Minor, Mr. Blair Holbert, Mr. S. S. P. Patterson, Mr. Victor Williams, Mr. John Young, Mr. Robert Lancaster, Mr. Robert Peyton, Mr. William Hallston, Mr. Harrison Blair, Miss Lou Belle Jones, Miss Lida Lane, Miss Lucy Minor, Misses Sparrow, Mr. and Mrs. Murray McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. P. McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. William Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pustent, 2, 185 Elise Moncure, Miss Helen Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Fannie Cooke, Miss Virginia Taylor, Miss Lida Blair and many others—all of Richmond.

Round Table Meets.
The regular fortnightly meeting of the Literary Round Table was held at Woman's Club yesterday afternoon. "The Life and Art of James McNeill Whistler" being under discussion.
Criticism of several of Whistler's paintings and portraits by Elliott Luther Cary were discussed. Extracts were also given from Henry James's recent book, "The American Scene," in which the author gives his impression of various American cities.
Mrs. Sampson, of No. 129 East Grace Street, will be chairman for the next meeting of the Literary Round Table. The subject for discussion will be, "Modern Dramatists."

Founders' Day Celebration.
The annual celebration of Founders' Day took place yesterday at Sheltering Arms Free Hospital, a large number of friends calling to visit the institution and express their interest in its welfare.
The usual reception was preceded by

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Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Eliot Norton.
No. 1000.
Prince Henry's Speech on the Death of Hotspur.
(From "King Henry IV.")
By WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE.
Other selections from this author, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch, have already been printed in this series.
Pare thee well, great heart!
Ill-would'st ambition, how much art thou shrunk!
When that this body did contain a spirit,
A kingdom for it was too small a bound;
But now, two paces of the vilest earth
Is room enough!—this earth, that bears thee dead,
Bears not alive so stout a gentleman.
If thou wert sensible of courtesy,
I should not make so dear a show of zeal;
But let my favors hide thy mangled face;
And, even in thy behalf, I'll thank myself
For doing these fair rites of tenderness.
Adieu, and take thy praise with thee to heaven:
Thy ignomy sleep with thee in thy grave,
But not remember'd in thy epitaph!

A brief religious service in the parlors of the hospital.
The Rev. Dr. W. J. Young presided.
The Rev. Dr. K. W. Walther made the opening prayer, and the Rev. Dr. John Moncure read the lesson for the day.
The Rev. Dr. C. S. Gardner made a very inspiring address, in which he compared the hospital to the Christian Church.
Mayor Carlton McCarthy was among the visitors, and expressed his gratification at being present, and his kindly interest in the noble work done by the hospital.
At the reception which followed, the following members of the board assisted in entertaining: Mrs. Peterkin, Miss Peterkin, Mrs. E. T. Robinson, Mrs. T. William Pemberton, Mrs. J. H. Southall, Mrs. H. W. Bassett, Mrs. W. H. Nelson, Mrs. J. B. Kidd, Mrs. J. Alston Cabell, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Mrs. Dudley Edwards, Mrs. George T. King, Mrs. L. B. Jannoy, Miss Alice Moore, Mrs. Lee Lorraine, Mrs. H. B. Boudard, Mrs. Charles P. Lee and others.
Mrs. D. T. Williams, Mrs. Wellford Reid and Mrs. A. H. Landarkin were in the dining-room, where delicious refreshments were served from a table beautifully decorated with American Bantios, sent by Mrs. B. B. B. An excellent musical program was rendered by Miss Lillian Taylor, Mrs. R. H. Meade, Mrs. Clarence Cadot and Mrs. Conway Gordon.
A number of generous donations were received, and the entire day was successful in every way.

Elegant Hunt Dinner.
Mr. B. H. Ellington, of No. 1817 Monument Avenue, was host at an elegant hunt dinner Tuesday evening. Crimson carnations formed a beautiful centerpiece, and the place cards and other accessories suggested the hunt most attractively.
The following guests were Messrs. Blair Bolling, John M. Miller, Harry Beattie, Archer Anderson, Omron Young, St. George Bryan, George Cole Scott, Dr. Ruffenord Hobson, E. D. Harrison, James Graves, E. B. Snyder, A. S. Buford, J. C. Miller, J. R. Anderson, W. R. Meredith, O. J. Sands, O. H. Berry, L. C. Younger, Dr. J. Allison Hodges, J. A. White and Robert C. Bryan.

Colonial Tea.
A very pretty Colonial tea will be given tomorrow afternoon at No. 514 West Grace Street by the 2, 2 Building Fund Association of the Second Baptist Church.
Music and refreshments will serve to make the occasion attractive.
In the afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock the following girls will serve: Misses Nannie Smith, Elizabeth Montgomery, Marie Alvey and Sarah Starke.
In the evening from 8 to 10 o'clock young ladies in Colonial dresses will assist. They are Misses Louise Williams, Madge Montgomery, Virginia Clarke, Rosa Smith, Mary B. Sutherland, Maude Starke, Araminta Smith and Grace Starke.

Children's Party.
The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Methodist Church will give a Washington's birthday party for children tomorrow afternoon, from 4 to 6 o'clock, in the lecture-room of the church.
The cherry tree and hatchet will be much in evidence, and a gay time is anticipated.
Among the ladies who will assist are Mrs. Ridgely, Mrs. Sawin, Mrs. C. P. Welford, Mrs. Andrew Baughman, Mrs. Duesberry, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Dettor, Mrs. Cornelius Ammons, Mrs. Alice McPhail, Miss Rebecca Hardwick, Miss Myrtle Taylor, and others.

Benefit Entertainment.
An attractive and amusing program has been prepared for the entertainment to be given this evening at 8:20 o'clock at No. 906 1-2 Floyd Avenue, for the benefit of the Pine Street Baptist Church Sewing Circle.
The board of managers of St. Paul's Church Home for the Aged, of which Mrs. James Branch is president, has been preparing for the entertainment at noon to-day in her apartments at the Chesterfield.

Called Meeting.
Miss Madge Freedy, diocesan officer, has called a meeting of the librarians of the church periodical society at noon to-day in her apartments at the Chesterfield.
Donation Day.
The board of managers of St. Paul's Church Home for the Aged, of which Mrs. James Branch is president, has been preparing for the entertainment at noon to-day in her apartments at the Chesterfield.

Mother's Club to Meet.
The West End Kindergarten Mothers' Club will have a parents' meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, to which the public is invited.
The meeting will be held in the kindergarten room at the corner of Lombardy and Main Streets.
Miss Parker, supervisor of public kindergartens, will be present, and will be glad to answer any questions.
Chapter to Meet.
Old Dominion Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet this evening at 8 o'clock, to which the public is invited.
Masquerade Party.
A merry crowd of masqueraders gathered in the home of Mrs. Edward Freedy, in Little Plymouth, last Friday evening.
The guests were accorded an unexpected pleasure in meeting Mr. and

RICH WOMAN CHARGED BY NURSE WITH POISONING

MRS. WALLAU.
Charged With the Murder of her Mother, Mrs. Benge.

MRS. WALLAU AT CORONER'S COURT
Physician Testifies Mrs. Binge's Death Might Have Been from Natural Causes.
NURSE'S STORY DAMAGING
Says She Noticed White Particles in Champagne Given the Patient.

NEW YORK, February 20.—Testifying at the coroner's inquest, held to-day to discover whether or not Mrs. Ida Binge was poisoned by ichthyoid of mercury, alleged to have been administered by her daughter, Mrs. Lottie Wallau, Coroner's Physician Otto Schultz said that what he found in the autopsy was consistent both with natural death and poisoning.
He was unable to say what the cause of the death was, but said that Mrs. Binge had been operated on for cancer and had heart disease, inflammation of the kidneys, hardening of the walls of the arteries, an internal tumor and congestion of the vessels of the brain.
Mrs. Wallau, who is under arrest, charged with the murder of her mother, was present at the inquest.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Devine, a nurse who attended Mrs. Binge, testified that she saw Mrs. Wallau in the pantry opening a bottle of wine intended for Mrs. Binge, and offered to take it to the patient, but Mrs. Wallau told her to go to the patient's room and she would bring the champagne. After Mrs. Binge had drunk a portion of the champagne, Miss Devine said she saw fragments of white powder floating in the remainder. Four days later, Miss Devine said, she decided to leave, and told Mrs. Wallau that she believed Mrs. Binge was being poisoned.
"I asked her if she could trust the servants, and she replied that she suspected one of them. Mrs. Wallau told me to let the matter drop and not go away. I told her that if she would own up to me that she was doing something to her mother I might be able to do something for her. She would not do that, so I left the house."

Under cross-examination, Miss Devine said she had administered strychnine as a tonic and morphia and nitro-glycerine as a stimulant to Mrs. Binge.

MAY CARRY THE MATTER INTO THE COURTS
There is a possibility, yet scarcely a probability of litigation in the city courts, resulting from the differences which for years have existed between the National Council and the State Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics.
It was reported yesterday that Messrs. Samuel A. Anderson and Frank W. Christian would soon present papers to Judge Griffin, of the City Chancery Court, asking that the "loyalty" of the National Council be adhered to the dictates of the national body, be made to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt.
This report could not be verified by any officer of the order. Thus far all that has been said of the differences in the order has been for the most part, hearsay.

SMALLMAN PROMOTED.
Well-Known Man Made General Manager of Company.
—Mr. W. V. Smallman, for several years district superintendent of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, with headquarters here, has been promoted to the position of general manager of the company, with headquarters in New York. He will, however, manage the branches in Virginia and North Carolina.
C. B. Richardson will be the general agent for the central Virginia district, with headquarters at Harrisonburg. H. J. Grubb, general agent for the north Virginia district, with headquarters at Alexandria, and W. L. O'Brien, district agent for North Carolina, with offices in Winston-Salem. The changes will be effective March 1st.

While Mr. Smallman is naturally gratified at his promotion, he greatly regrets leaving Richmond. He has made many friends here who will equally regret that he must leave.
Colonial Tea.
The Colonial Tea to be given at the residence of Mr. E. D. Barker, No. 514 West Grace Street, on the afternoon and evening of the twenty-second, for

the benefit of the building fund of the Second Baptist Church, promises to be a beautiful entertainment. A number of little girls dressed in Colonial costumes will be in attendance from 4 to 6 o'clock.
From 8 to 10 the young ladies of the church, in handsome Colonial attire, will see that each guest spends a pleasant evening. The tea will be served in Colonial style strictly.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY.
Two Negroes, Man and Woman, Sent on for Assault.
Ida Evans, a negro woman, who hit Mary Williams with a brick, will have to explain to a jury. She was called before Justice Crutchenfeld yesterday morning and was told that twelve men should pass sentence upon her. John Frayser, a negro, beat James Stunback until James could not stand up, and for this reason he, too, was do a talking act to a jury.

The drunks were allowed to go, for the Justice thought that the weather was cold enough to sober them.

Wife's Plea Saved Him.
The pleadings of his wife saved Joseph Friday, a young white man, from a ten-days' term in jail. Friday was drunk when arrested, and had been for a week. He was charged with disorderly conduct. His wife, who was with him, pleaded that he was suffering from a nervous breakdown and was unable to control himself. The judge, moved by the wife's plea, released him on his own recognizance.

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The following telegram sent out over its lines last night by the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, while denying the premature publication as to a fifteen per cent. increase in the salaries of its employees, officially announces a ten per cent. raise, effective March 1st.
"The following is the increase in salaries of all operators, traffic chiefs, wire chiefs, assistant chief operators, chief operators and managers, be increased ten per cent., and that this increase shall apply not only to the principal offices, but to all the offices of the company in the United States, effective March 1, 1907."

MYERS SEEKS RELEASE.
Argument on Petition for Habeas Corpus to Be Heard Saturday.
The Supreme Court yesterday issued writ of habeas corpus on petition of Gilbert K. Pollock and Willis Padden, counsel for G. H. Myers, of Manchester, to the latter, who was refused bail by Judge Clifton, of the Manchester court, and continued in jail on the charge of forging the name of G. H. Myers to a check for \$15. Myers was refused bail until Hofner, the principal witness in the case, who, it is alleged, had disappeared, returned to the jurisdiction of the court. Judge Keith will hear the case on Saturday at 11 A. M.

Have Removed from City.
Eight privates of Company A, Seventieth Virginia Regiment, were yesterday honorably discharged by order of Governor Swanson, upon the application of the commanding officer, because they have removed their residence from the city. The men so discharged are as follows:
Privates C. D. Driscoll, W. G. Druce, James A. C. Groves, F. C. Gammon, J. H. Hillman, H. H. Mills, James F. Townsend and W. B. Shepherd.

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DEATH INTERFERES.
Mr. Gillespie Was to Have Wedded To-day, But Father Dies.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BUCKINGHAM, VA., February 20.—The body of Mr. James R. Gillespie, one of the oldest and highest regarded citizens of Buckingham county, was found last evening nearly within sight of his home near this place. Mr. Gillespie visited at a neighbor's on Monday, and left that evening for his home, walking through the woods. He was in his usual health when he started, but was evidently taken sick while on his way home and died. Doctors say he had heart trouble. The body lay near a fence from Monday evening until Tuesday evening. Mr. Gillespie was not missed, as his people thought he was with friends, but yesterday they found that he had started home Monday evening, and went in search for him.
He is survived by three sons—Lewis, Stewart and Emmett—and two daughters—Misses Annie and Lella. Mr. Gillespie was about seventy years of age and a Confederate veteran—a very well-known and a good man who will be sadly missed.
Mr. Emmett Gillespie, a son of the deceased, who resides in Cincinnati, O., and Miss Lella, wife of Mr. Buckingham, were to have been married Thursday, but the sad death of the groom's father will be the cause of a postponement.